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•Most recent data (2012): 70 deaths per 100,000, including 159 deaths.

•Trend over time: 2000-12: rising

•Description: Includes deaths from unintentional slipping, tripping, stumbling and falling (i.e. excluding assault and suicide) among adults age 65 and over

## Fall deaths (age 65+), King County, 2008-2012 average

	Rate	Lower CI	Upper CI	Count per Year
<b>King County (age 65+)</b>	70.9	66.0	76.2	150
<b>AGE</b>				
<18	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
18-24	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
25-44	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
45-64	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
65+	70.9	66.0	76.2	150
<b>GENDER</b>				
Male	75.3	67.6	83.7	69
Female	67.6	61.2	74.5	81
<b>RACE/ETHNICITY</b>				
AIAN	*	*	*	*
Asian	53.8	41.9	68.1	14
Black	23.6 §	11.3 §	43.1 §	2
Hispanic	20.6 §	6.7 §	47.4 §	1
Multiple	*	*	*	*
NHPI	*	*	*	*
White	77.0	71.2	83.0	133
<b>NEIGHBORHOOD POVERTY</b>				
High	60	47.3	75.0	15
Medium	78.8	72.3	85.8	107
Low	54.0	45.3	63.9	27
<b>REGION</b>				
East	63.9	54.9	74.0	36
North	96.4	76.4	120.1	16
Seattle	82.0	72.6	92.4	54
South	59.7	52.0	68.1	43

### Comparisons:

Higher than King County rate (yellow)

Lower than King County rate (green)

### Notes:

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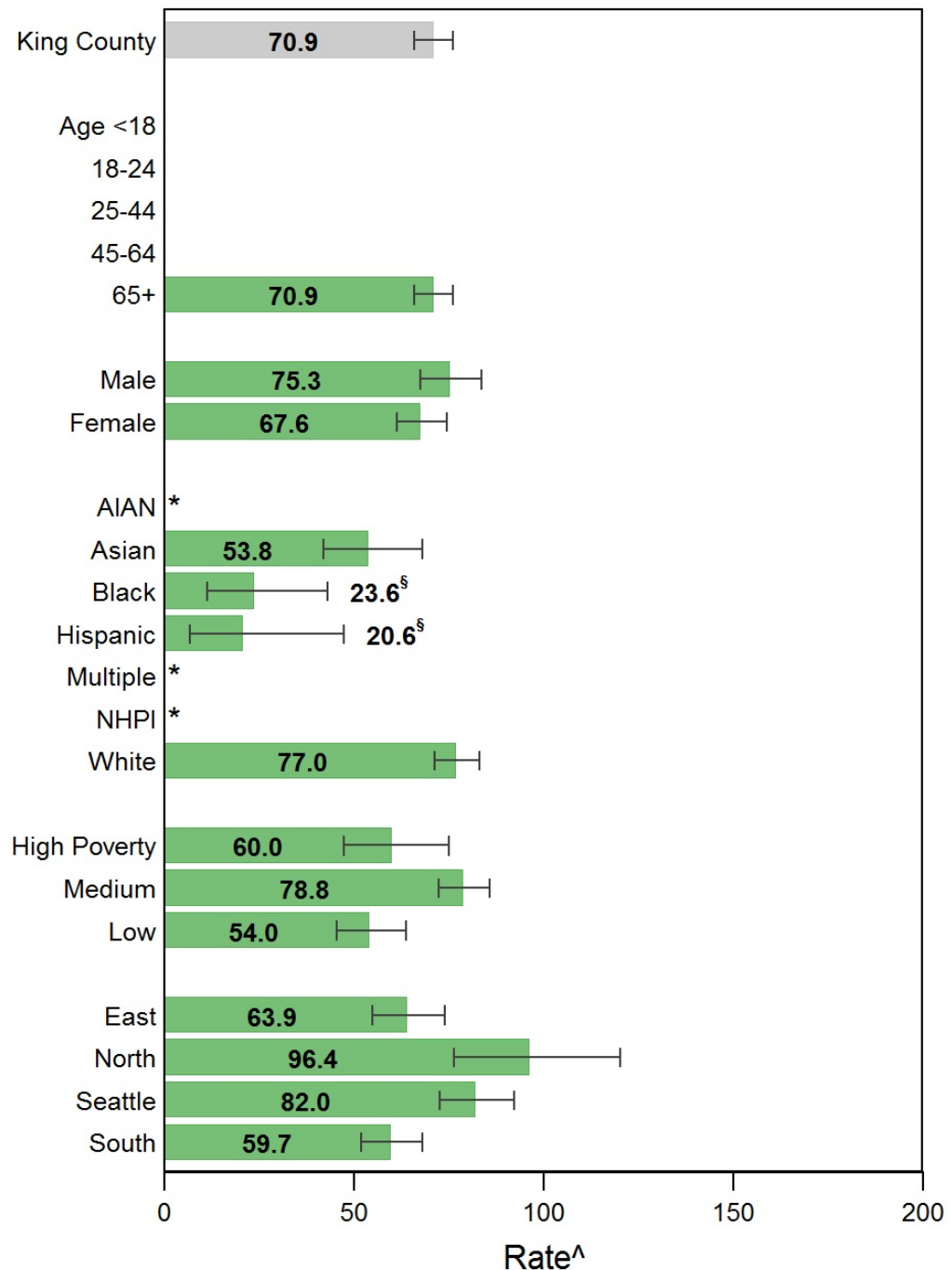
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Poverty = Neighborhood poverty levels defined by median household income.

## Fall deaths (age 65+) by comparison areas

The Healthy People 2020 Objective for fall deaths (age 65+) is 47/100,000.

	Latest Available Year	Rate	Lower CI	Upper CI
United States	2010	53.8	N/A	N/A
WA State	2012	79.2	73.5	85.3
<b>King County</b>	2012	70	59.5	81.7

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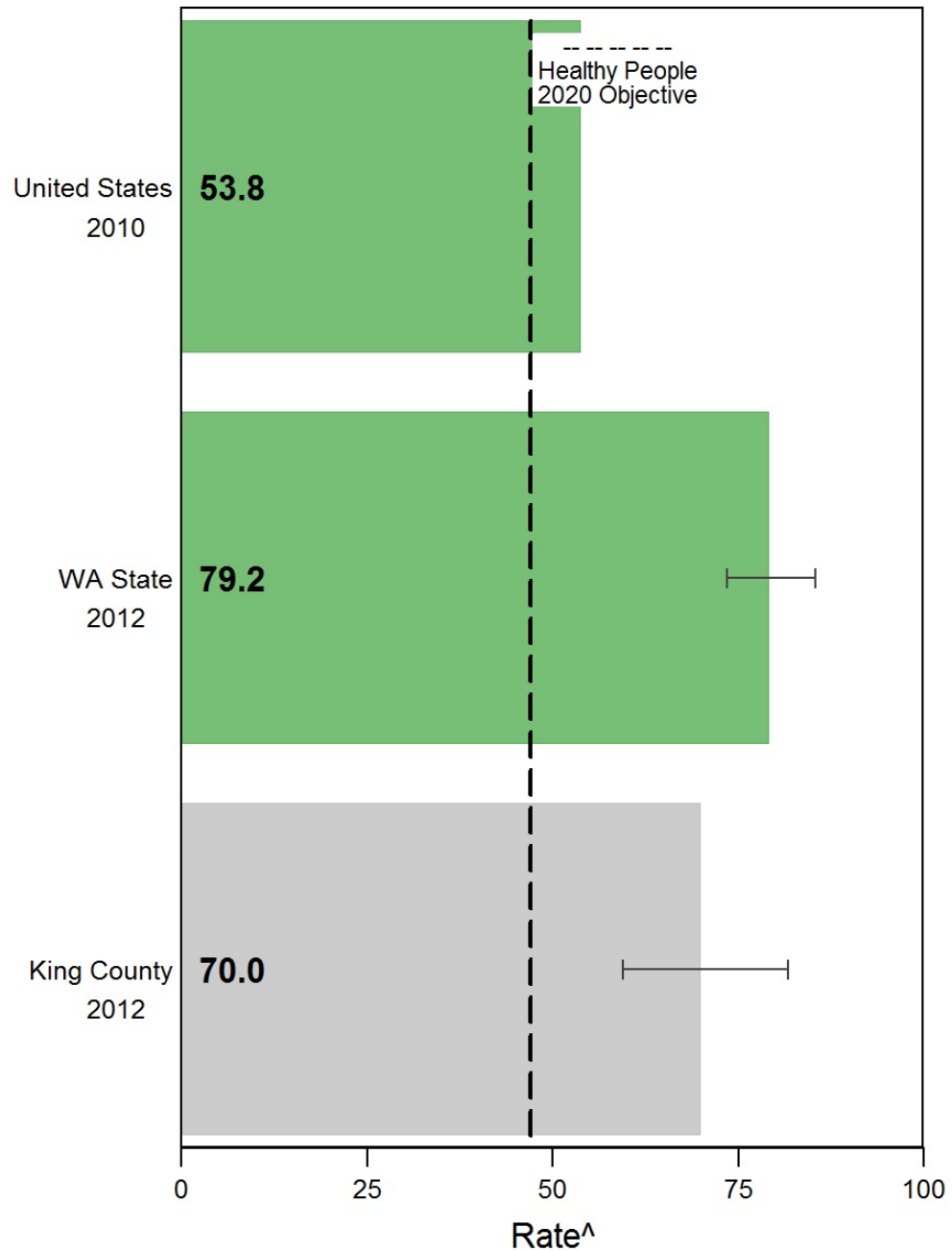
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<b>King County (age 65+)</b>	70.9	66.0	76.2	150
Auburn	83.7	55.7	120.9	6
..Auburn-North	94.8	58.0	146.3	4
..Auburn-South	64.6 §	27.9 §	126.4 §	2
Bear Creek/Carnation/Duvall	66.2	39.9	103.3	4
Bellevue	66.5	50.8	85.6	12
..Bellevue-Central	78.5	46.6	124.0	4
..Bellevue-NE	33.0 §	14.3 §	64.5 §	2
..Bellevue-South	59.8	30.9	104.1	2
..Bellevue-West	95.9	60.2	145.1	4
Black Diamond/Enumclaw/SE County	29.2 §	12.6 §	57.0 §	2
Bothell/Woodinville	130	84.2	191.9	5
Burien	69.8	42.7	107.7	4
Covington/Maple Valley	41.4 §	19.0 §	78.2 §	2
Des Moines/Normandy Park	107.4	73.1	152.5	6
East Federal Way	42.5 §	17.1 §	86.7 §	1
Fairwood	41.3 §	13.3 §	94.8 §	1
Federal Way	58.9	38.9	85.7	5
..Fed Way-Central/Military Rd	63.0	37.4	99.5	4
..Fed Way-Dash Point/Woodmont	52.1 §	23.9 §	98.4 §	2
Issaquah	72.5	39.7	121.4	3
Kenmore/LFP	80.7	47.9	127.4	4
Kent	60	41.1	84.7	6
..Kent-East	47.5 §	20.5 §	92.9 §	2
..Kent-SE	76.7	46.3	119.7	4
..Kent-West	42.7 §	13.8 §	98.0 §	1
Kirkland	71.7	48.8	101.9	6
..Kirkland	73.7	44.4	115.0	4
..Kirkland North	68.9	35.6	119.9	2
Mercer Isle/Pt Cities	68.9	42.2	106.4	4
Newcastle/Four Creeks	*	*	*	*
North Highline	71.5 §	26.2 §	153.7 §	1
Redmond	86.3	54.1	130.5	4
Renton	50.6	33.9	72.7	6
..Renton-East	45.3 §	16.6 §	97.4 §	1
..Renton-North	62.7 §	30.1 §	114.7 §	2
..Renton-South	46.2	24.7	78.8	3
Sammamish	*	*	*	*
SeaTac/Tukwila	38.5 §	16.6 §	75.2 §	2
Seattle	82.0	72.6	92.4	54
..Ballard	103.2	66.9	152.4	5
..Beacon/Gtown/S.Park	49.5	25.6	86.1	2
..Capitol Hill/E.lake	104.7	65.7	158.4	4
..Central Seattle	82.0	49.4	127.9	4
..Delridge	47.7 §	17.5 §	102.7 §	1
..Downtown	92.3	60.4	135.3	5
..Fremont/Greenlake	115.3	71.5	176.1	4
..NE Seattle	82.6	54.1	121.1	5
..North Seattle	117.9	80.7	166.5	6
..NW Seattle	87.8	56.9	129.6	5
..QA/Magnolia	56.0	33.2	88.4	4
..SE Seattle	32.0 §	13.8 §	62.6 §	2
..West Seattle	89.4	61.2	126.3	6
Shoreline	89.1	62.5	123.4	7
Snoqualmie/North Bend/Skykomish	55.5 §	24.0 §	108.5 §	2
Vashon Island	75.2 §	30.2 §	153.4 §	1

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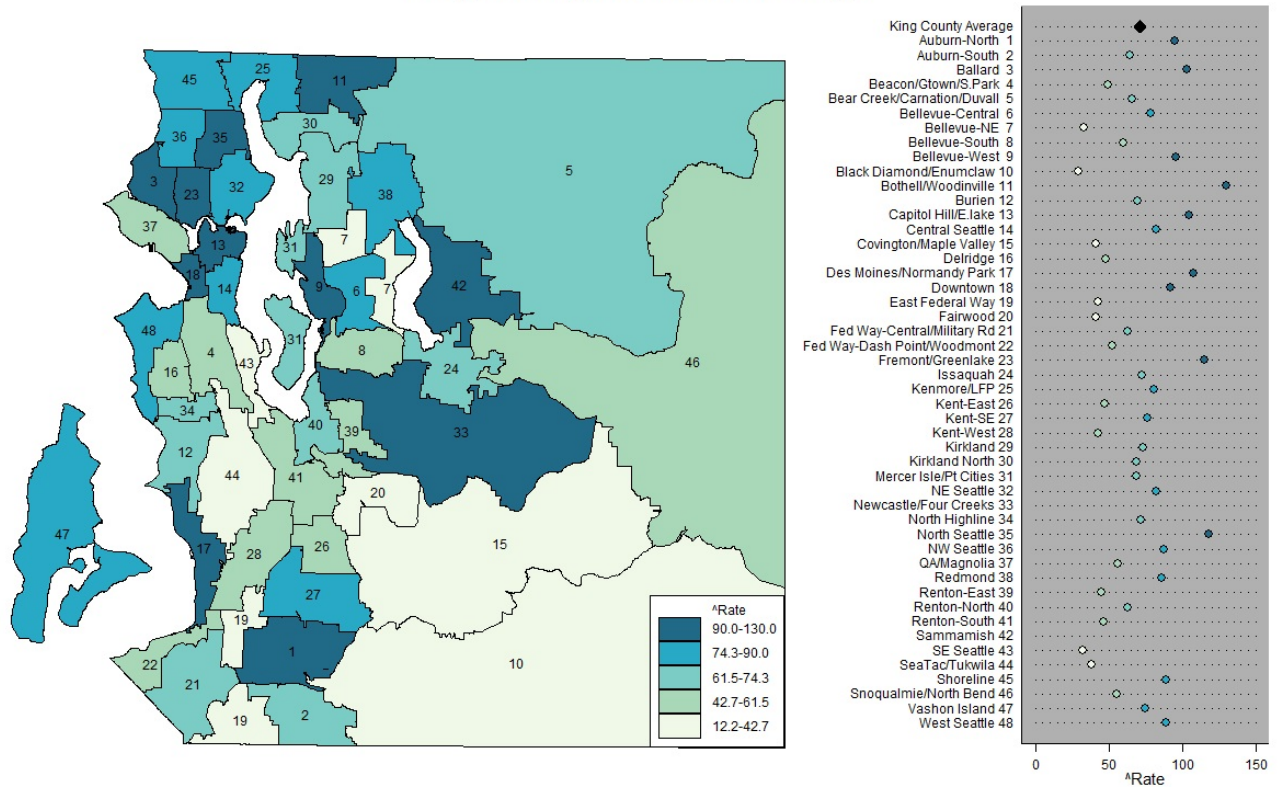
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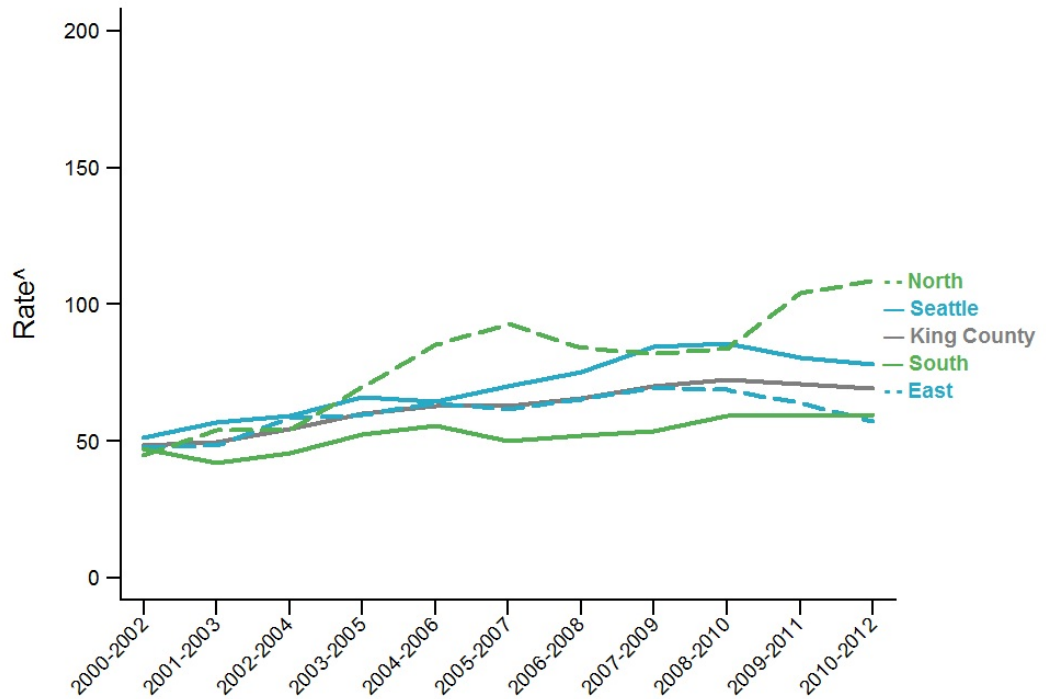
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Note: HRA labels on the map match the chart on the right, listed in alphabetical order  
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# Fall deaths (age 65+) King County, 2000-2012, three-year rolling averages



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